EDINBURGH,

The 19. day of July, 1665.

Orsameikle, as the Provest, Bailies, and Council of this Burgh, taking to their Consideration the Proclamation emitted by His Majesties Privie Councill of this Kingdom, Prohibiting and Discharging all Trade and Commerse betwixt this Kingdom, and the Merchants and Inhabitants of the City of London, Suburbs, and Places thereabouts, and all other Towns, Villages, and Places of the Kingdome of

England, which are Infected or suspected to be infected with the Sicknesse, or Plague of Pestilence, by sending or bringing of Goods or Commodities by Packs, or any other manuer of Carriage by Sea or Land, untill the first day of November next to come; and ay and while the Restraint and Prohibition be taken off: And that such Persons was are Abroad, do not offer to bring home any Goods or Commodities untill the acquaint the Magistrates of the Places where they intend to come, from what place they came; and abide Trial for the space of fourty dayes, and thereafter, till they have the allowance as free-men. And that all such Persons who shall come from England to this Kingdome, or bring Goods or Commodities, by Packs or other Carriage by Land, shall stay upon the Borders till they acquain whie Magistrates from whence they came, and bring sufficient Passes and Testimonials with them, that the Places are free of all suspicion of the Plague: With certification tion, that if any Person contraveen, they shall be punished with the losse of their Lives, Goods, Packs and Commodities brought by them, either by Sea or Land, without mercy. Therefore, I Command and Charge, in our Soveraigne Lords Name, and in Name and behalf of the Lord Provest, Bailies, and Council of this Burgh, that all the Inhabitants within the same give due and exact Obedience to the faid Proclamation in all points, and to receive no Person coming from England within their Houses, without Warrand of the Magistrates of this Burgh, under the pain of Death, but favour.

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